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Pineapple 565,000-TON CROP Ban Now Threat

Intimations from the Coast that Hawaiian pineapples may be placed under the same ban that has been declared on alligator pears, papayas and other fruits have been received with deep misgiving by local pineapple men. So strong have the intimations lately become that the matter is to be brought before the Chamber of Commerce.

President Spaulding of the chamber said today that the trustees will take the matter up at a meeting to be held on the second Wednesday in September, the thirteenth. "The matter was brought to my attention by a prominent local pineapple man," said Mr. Spaulding today, "who said that there was danger that the pine would be shut out of the Coast because of the presence of the Mediterranean fruit fly here. It is something that I feel the chamber should take up. While plans have not been made, the chamber, I should think, will consider placing the matter before the Coast authorities in a fair light, so that if no actual danger from pineapple importation exists, it can be continued."

"Pineapple men say that the egg of the fruit fly can not hatch out or the young of the fly live in the pineapple juices, and that the pineapples are not a source of danger for infection of the Coast orchards and orange groves. If this is the fact, it should be placed before the Coast people after it has been established by local investigation."

According to news from the Coast, the state horticultural inspector of California has detailed an entomologist, E. K. Carnes, to come to the islands and look into the fruit fly ravages. President Spaulding said this morning that the chamber will cooperate with this expert in every way and will endeavor to prove to him that the pineapple will not carry the fruit fly to the Coast, if this is the result of the experiments with the pest here.

NEPTUNE DEFIES GUN PRACTICE

Owing to the rough, choppy condition of the waters off Diamond Head, the officers of Fort Ruger had to call a halt in the day's target practice, as the splash made by the cannon shells could not be distinguished from the spray of the whitecaps.

Yesterday the small caliber guns inside the mortars were fired at an anchored target, but no record of hits was taken, the firing being more to test and regulate the mechanism.

Today the officers in charge of practice were in hopes of recording the hits to see how high an average they could obtain.

The James Makee was ordered to cruise back and forth within range of the mortars, towing a large target, but soon after the target approached Diamond Head the sea became very rough and threw large whitecaps into the air, which made it impossible for the gunners to see where their shots went. After firing three times the practice was called off and will be continued tomorrow. Should the sea be smooth enough to allow the splash of the shell being seen, it is believed the records will show a small percentage of misses.

Burglars dynamited the postoffice at Jefferson, N. H., and secured \$2000.

SUGAR

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 24.—Beets: 88 analysis, 14s. 9d.; parity, 5.15c. Previous quotation, 14s. 7 1/2-2d.

Latest revised figures on the sugar crop for the Hawaiian Islands show that the record of 535,156 tons set two years ago will be broken this year even more than was estimated two weeks ago, when the Bulletin published the estimates to that time. According to the latest figures this year's crop will reach the enormous total of 565,000 tons.

Moreover, if the remainder of this year's crop gets to market at prices averaging 4.92 cents, four million dollars more for sugar will be received by Hawaiian planters this year than last, according to the figuring of Manager A. M. Nowell, of the Sugar Factors' Association.

Manager Nowell today made the estimate that the Factors' Association will handle 475,000 tons this year, which is an increase over the estimates of some weeks ago. Last year the Sugar Factors' handled eighty-three and a fraction per cent of the total sugar output of the islands. The rest of the crop is handled through the Brewer agency. Last year the plantations whose crop goes to the market through the Brewer agency

produced approximately 90,000 tons, and it is estimated that they will certainly reach that figure this year, so the total of 565,000 tons is believed to be a conservative estimate.

Of this amount, a very large percentage is going in with sugar at a high price. "Five-cent sugar" is practically a reality now, and 117,000 tons is still to reach the market through the Sugar Factors. Three big consignments have reached the market with sugar at 4.9225, its present figure. These three are the cargo of the ship Edward Sewall, 5,500 tons; half of the Alaskan's cargo, which was split at Tehantepec, which makes 3,200 tons more, and the Wilhelm's cargo of 3,200 tons.

The first half of the cargo of the Arizona is due at the market by next Monday, about 8,000 tons, and the bark H. P. Rittet, which left here on July 22, with 500 tons, is still to reach the market.

With sugar still on the rise and a big percentage of the Hawaiian crop marketed late in the season, prosperity is being spelled in larger and larger letters as the end of the season comes near.

WHARF RULES INVESTIGATED; COMMITTEE COMPLETING PLANS

Three meetings have been held by the special joint committee of the Chamber of Commerce and Merchants' Association, named to investigate the proposed rules of the harbor commission for handling freight on local wharves. As a result of the activity shown by this committee, the rules are largely formulated, and will be finished in plenty of time to report at a joint meeting of the two commercial bodies next Tuesday afternoon.

In advance of the report, members of the committee have little to say, as to their recommendations, but it may be stated on good authority that among them will be a regulation placing five hundred tons daily as the amount of domestic freight that must be handled from the wharf.

This matter of handling freight from the wharves has proved the knottiest problem that the committee had to tackle. The harbor commission's proposed rules had a provision that domestic freight must be moved from a wharf within three days after

the vessel had finished discharging the freight. When the commercial bodies held their joint meeting last Tuesday to consider these provisions, every shipping, steamship and mercantile man present declared that this provision is entirely too drastic and that the local wharves are too inadequate to permit freight to be handled so expeditiously. Twelve days instead of three was proposed, and finally the entire matter was left to the committee.

A five-hundred-ton-a-day basis would strike a medium between the plans of the commission and the more radical wishes expressed by business men. It was stated by a member of the committee today that the harbor commission's authority and its ideas will be given every consideration, but that the regulations as proposed are entirely too stringent. In fact, the recommendations of the special committee are expected to be much at variance with the commission's proposed rules.

SHAW MENTIONED FOR NEW POSITION

Chairman A. D. Cooper of the executive committee of the Republican territorial central committee has called a meeting of the committee at 12 o'clock noon tomorrow to consider the appointment of a superintendent of marketing, the position created by act of the last Legislature in reorganizing the board of immigration.

Two names are now prominently mentioned as for indorsement—Jared G. Smith, former director of the Federal experiment station here, and Walter E. Shaw. Mr. Shaw's name has been brought forward only recently. As

a successful farmer and cane grower of Hanalei, Maui, he proved his ability, and has some supporters. It is said, on the central committee, Jared Smith is also strong on the committee.

Although the name of S. T. Starratt, the small-farming expert of California, has been mentioned, he did not seem today to have much support among members of the committee. It is stated that if a local man can be secured who has the necessary qualifications, no reason exists for getting the Californian, although he is admitted to be an expert.

STAPHYLIMIDAE ARE LOOSE NOW

If in the course of your work about the garden you should happen to come across a bug by the name of Staphylinidae, you need not get excited and ring up for Bill Jarrett to send the patrol wagon along. The members of the Staphylinidae family are quite harmless and can be trained to do all sorts of gentle tricks.

One of the best stunts they are said to pull off is to chase the wily Mediterranean fruit fly and make life unbearable for it. Entomologist E. M. Ehrhorn heard of this on the Coast, where he is looking for a fruit fly parasite, and sent a couple of hundred of them across. Acting Chief Entomologist

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PORTUGAL NAMES REVOLUTIONIST PRESIDENT

(Associated Press Cable.)
LISBON, Port., Aug. 24.—The constituent assembly today elected Manuel d'Arriaga first president of the Republic of Portugal.

Manuel d'Arriaga is a distinguished Portuguese leader. He came into prominence as a member of the group of statesmen and educators who took over the reins of government after King Manuel was deposed a few months ago.

ANOTHER DIAZ LOSES HIS JOB

(Special Bulletin Cable.)
NEW ORLEANS, La., Aug. 24.—It is reported that President Diaz of Nicaragua has retired in favor of General Mena.

SON ACCUSED OF BRUTAL MURDER

(Associated Press Cable.)
BOONVILLE, Ind., Aug. 24.—Richard Lee, his wife and son were found murdered here today. An elder son is accused of the crime.

FRIEND OF DR. WILEY HEADS PURE FOOD BODY

(Associated Press Cable.)
DULUTH, Minn., Aug. 24.—Lucius Brown, a friend of Dr. Harvey W. Wiley of the Federal bureau of chemistry, was today elected president of the national pure food association.

PRESIDENT IS RESTING AFTER HARD SESSION

(Associated Press Cable.)
BEVERLY, Mass., Aug. 23.—President Taft is here today, resting at his summer home after the hard extra session.

FIRE IN NEVADA MINE COSTS SEVEN LIVES

(Associated Press Cable.)
ELY, Nev., Aug. 24.—Seven men are dead and three injured as the result of a fire in the shaft of the Giroux Consolidated mine.

EAGLES FLAP WINGS IN 'FRISCO PARADE

(Associated Press Cable.)
SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 24.—Four thousand members of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, in convention here, took part in a monster parade today.

BISHOP STREET OWNERS TO MEET

For the purpose of naming an appraiser to act in conjunction with one to be appointed by the Merchants' Association and one by the Chamber of Commerce, a meeting of property holders who will be affected by the extension of Bishop street from Hotel to Beretania, has been called for tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Merchants' Association rooms, Young Hotel building.

It will be the duty of these appraisers to formulate a plan for the extension of Bishop street that will meet with the approval of the property holders and the government. Any persons interested are invited to be present.

LORIMER SLATED TO LEAVE SENATE

BY C. S. ALBERT.
(Special Bulletin Correspondence.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., August 11.—The suspension of taking testimony in



the Lorimer case until next October has afforded temporary relief to all

those Senators whose continuance in public life is jeopardized by their votes for his exoneration last March. It gives time for them to frame up appropriate explanations and find excuses for changing their position when the matter again comes to a decisive vote.

It is admitted that the testimony thus far taken does not indicate that Mr. Lorimer knew money was being corruptly used for his election. It is even stronger in that respect than the evidence accumulated during the first inquiry by the Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections. A number of star witnesses testified that they had lied in their former hearings.

The result of the investigation will have no effect on the final outcome. Senator Lorimer is slated for exoneration, and nothing can be said or done to change the result. The complexion of the Senate was so changed by the elections of last November as to transform the Lorimer majority into a minority. He was retained in his seat by a vote of 46 to 40. Incoming Progressive Republicans and Democrats not only wiped out the majority in his favor, but formed quite a pronounced balance against him. The exclusion of Mr. Lorimer from the Senate only awaits the formalities of an investigation and report by the committee now performing that duty.

BIDS OPENED FOR MOTOR FIRE TRUCKS; DECISION DEFERRED

An initial step towards increasing the efficiency of the Honolulu Fire Department was taken at noon today when tenders submitted by a number of local representatives of motor driven fire apparatus were present at the "City Hall" and awaited the opening of bids.

The von Hamm-Young Company, as agents for the Packard chemical fire engine were the lowest bidders on a single machine. All members of the board were present save Supervisor Amann. At the conclusion of a brief consideration of the bids, it was decided to leave the matter of a decision as to the relative merits of the machines to the members of the Fire Committee acting in conjunction with Fire Chief Thurston.

The opening of bids was attended with unusual interest in local automobile circles. A delegation from "gasoline row" was present.

The von Hamm-Young Company offered one Pope-Hartford chemical at \$5750, and two machines at \$11,500. The same firm stands ready to supply one Packard chemical at \$5255 and two machines at \$10,511.

The Honolulu Iron Works offered one Seagrave chemical, four cylinder engine at \$5750, while a six cylinder engine is listed at \$6100.

The Schuman Carriage Company offered a Locomobile chemical engine at \$5400 and two machines of like make at \$10,800. The Schuman people are also in the market with one Seagrave chemical at \$5300 and two machines at \$10,500.

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AUGUST WILL BE BANNER MONTH

Buildings planned, contracted and under construction this month will exceed in value by several thousand dollars the total of all similar work done during the month of July, according to the figures now at hand at the office of Building and Plumbing Inspector Mehlstein.

Permits issued for August at the close of business yesterday gave the total value of new work at \$81,290, while repairs contemplated so far will foot up to \$559,775.

The estimated cost of all new buildings called for in permits issued at the office of the building and plumbing inspector for the month of July totaled \$74,980, leaving \$6311 in favor of but twenty-three days for the present month.

Kaimuki, Palolo Hill, College Hills and Maunaloa Valley are represented in the long list of applicants for building permits.

A number of store buildings are contemplated judging from applications received and approved. One or two rather pretentious structures for housing local manufacturing industries are now in course of erection.

The August record for building in the city of Honolulu is predicted by local contractors as far exceeding that

of the same month a year ago by a substantial figure.

Among recent permits issued by Inspector Mehlstein are the following: Clark Farm Co.—Pawaa, Quilek tract, Beretania street; dwelling; \$1000. Mrs. Mary C. Woods—College street; dwelling; \$3500.

Hawailan Pot Factory—Liliha street; 28x66 feet; building; cement and galvanized iron; \$2500.

John Frank—Jack lane; dwelling; \$1400.

S. M. Lowrey—Prospect street; rustic dwelling, eight rooms; \$5000.

John H. Wilson—13th avenue; five-room dwelling; \$1250.

T. D. Wicks—Kewalo street; dwelling; \$1200.

J. T. Warren—Lunalilo and Kewalo streets; 13-room dwelling; \$5100.

Lau Mow—Liliha street; store 18x28 feet, galvanized iron; \$640.

S. C. Hardesty—Palolo; dwelling; \$1310.

S. M. Kanakani—Dewey street; boarding house, 31x50 feet; \$3100.

Brewer Estate—Hotel street; 23x104 feet store; \$4500.

E. P. Juen—Beretania street; dwelling; \$1450.

Geo. W. Macey—Koko Head road; dwelling; \$3800.

WANT TERRITORY TO GET MORE WHARVES

Shipping and Transportation Men Urge Action Now For Future.

SAY NAVY DEPARTMENT SHOULD BE APPROACHED

Transfer of Dock No. 1 to Territorial Government a Possibility—Plans to Relieve Congestion.

Factual facts brought out by the harbor commission's work, that the wharves of Honolulu are totally inadequate to handle the present freight traffic expeditiously, to say nothing of what the future will bring, shipping and transportation men of the city are urging action now on the part of the Territory toward enlarging its wharf space.

Already the commission is making plans for the new Richards street wharf, for repairing the Kinau wharf and for doing some block paving on the Hackfeld wharf. What is now proposed by transportation men is that the commission undertake to secure for the Territory, Navy wharf No. 1.

Included in the plan as outlined by one of the prominent transportation men of the Territory this morning is the building of a big warehouse on Navy wharf No. 1 and its use as a "discharging wharf," while the Hackfeld wharf will be turned into a "receiving wharf" for sugar and pineapples, the two principal products that now congest traffic on the local docks.

It is pointed out that the Territory ought to get busy immediately, through the Governor and harbor commission, and take up with the secretary of the navy a plan to secure the

LOCAL PROBLEMS ARE HIS THEME

Dr. J. N. McCormack, the eminent practitioner who is to give a public address in the Opera House on the night of August 30, is a big man, with a big voice and a convincing manner, and is known throughout the length and breadth of the United States as "Fighting Mac." He is a fighter in many ways. He is one of those speakers who keep the audience awake all the time.

He recently spoke at Houston, Tex., and the Houston Chronicle in an editorial wrote: "The Medical Association of the United States is conferring an incalculable benefit on the whole people by making possible such a work as Dr. McCormack is doing."

"It would be worth a million dollars to Houston if the danger he points out could be appreciated by all her people, and the lessons he teaches and the instructions he gives were followed by them. The world has slept long, but is awakening now, and the campaign for higher morals and better health will never halt."

"He will deal here with the big problems of health that the community is face to face with at the present time."

All the seats will be thrown open to the public on the night when he talks, and it will be a matter of "first come, first served." The ladies are especially invited, as many of the questions with which he will deal have to do with their own home problems.

The justices of both the Supreme and Superior courts of Massachusetts had their salaries increased about 25 per cent through the signature of the governor to a new salary bill.